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8. (Amended) A compound as defined in claim 6, wherein the amine protecting group is an Fmoc, Boc, Cbz, Mmt, or Bhoc protecting group.

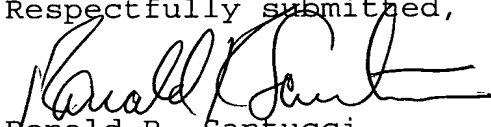
9. (Amended) A process for the production of a compound as defined in claim 1, wherein compounds as defined in claim 6 are converted in known manner.

10. (Amended) A method of using a compound as defined in claim 1 for cancer therapy.

REMARKS

The claims of the above-identified application have been amended to remove all multiple dependencies. No new matter has been added. Accordingly, an early examination of the application is respectfully requested.

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